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APPRECIATE RECEIPT TEXTS OF NOTES PROVIDED BY REF A AND
DESIRE TO PASS ALONG TO EMBASSY DEFENSE COMMENTS COMPLI-
MENTING EMBASSY ON VERY EFFECTIVE HANDLING OF LEGAL AND
POLITICAL ASPECTS OF THE APPARENT EFFORTS OF SOME ELEMENTS
OF GOG TO LIMIT MILITARY AIR OPERATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL
AIRSPACE OVER THE HIGH SEAS. POSITION EXPRESSED IN NOTES
IS FULLY IN ACCORD WITH PRINCIPLES OF REF B AND C AND
SHOULD MAKE IT CLEAR TO GOG THAT WE CANNOT ACCEPT LIMITA-
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TIONS UPON OUR ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE THE SOVEREIGN AIRSPACE

OF A NATION AND THAT WE HAVE CONDUCTED OUR ACTIVITIES IN
ACCORD WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.
EMBASSY SUCCEEDED IN STATING OUR CASE CLEARLY AND FIRMLY
WHILE, AT SAME TIME, AVOIDING ANY APPEARANCE OF CONTENTIOUSNESS OR ANIMOSITY. KISSINGER

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